IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

William R. Ratcliffe

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10/773,352

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Docket No.

024-25-002

Title:

LIGHT-EMITTING STRUCTURES

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Amendments to the Title - there are no amendments to the title.

Amendments to the Specification - there are no amendments to the specification.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings - there are no amendments to the drawings.

Remarks/Arguments are presented on page 7.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment for the above referenced application.

If any additional fee is required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 11-1580. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

Dated: 1/13/05

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service via Express Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents, Mail Stop Amendment, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-2450.

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Date